

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
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The First Sunday in Advent December 2, 2018



<u>PRAY FOR</u> We remember in our prayers this morning and ask for God's continued comfort, strength and healing: Jackie Dubois, Barb Fuhr, Janet Hill, Donna Huber, Dorothy Keller, Ulla Nystrom, Cathy Ongpin, Wanda Rosenzweig, Marian Schuk, Carol Sullivan. We remember Dave Miller.

ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God by Scott Stout in loving memory of his father and sister.

SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS We rejoice with those who celebrate birthdays and anniversaries. Please remember our "Peace Family" and send a card or give a call to wish them blessings on their special day.

Dec 6 Pat Griffin

Dec 6 Nicholas Ringshauser

Dec 15 Carter Kallay Dec 15 Eric Schuk (85)

Dec 12 Kathy Donselman

PLEDGE SUNDAY IS DECEMBER 2 please consider your weekly offering.

PEACE LUTHERAN WOMEN will gather for their 4th annual Christmas Gathering on Saturday, December 8th for an 11:00 Christmas Brunch at the church. You are requested to RSVP by Sunday, December 2nd.

We will again be working with Thrivent for Lutherans in an action team event supplying gifts for the families at Ronald McDonald House who will be spending days surrounding Christmas at Children's Hospital. **The entire congregation** is invited to participate in this gathering. Gifts should be new, unwrapped and brought to church no later than, Sunday December 6th. For thoughts on gifting seen the bulletin flyer.

COATS The Anderson Ferry Food Pantry is in need of warm coats for children and adults throughout the winter. If you have an extra coat in good condition, would you consider giving it to the Anderson Ferry Food Pantry

ADVENT MIDWEEK WORSHIP December 12 will be held beginning at 7:00. The theme this year for our Midweek Worship is "A Mary Christmas". Plan now to be with us. If you prefer not to drive at night, please speak with pastor and we will try to make arrangements in getting you a ride. Our service this year will be different in that we will not only share hymns of Christmas but also have three different Mary's speak to us about their meaning of Christmas. Come and be with us on Wednesday, December 12 @ 7:00.

CHRISTMAS IS THE CELEBRATION OF THE GREATEST GIFT EVER GIVEN – GOD COMING TO EARTH IN THE FLESH TO SAVE US FROM OUR SINS!

"... the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord" (Romans 6:23).





Christmas Eve Children's Candle-light Service will be at 6:30

Christmas Morning Worship will be at 10:00.



Peace Lutheran Church **Quarterly Voters' Meeting** will be held next Sunday, December 9 following the morning worship.



FEDERATION COOKIE PACK is tomorrow, December 3 at Christ Lutheran Church beginning at 9:30. Home-made cookies packed for the Cincinnati Area Nursing Homes. Please no nuts or bars. Diabetic Cookies are welcomed. Contact pastor or Pat Laaker for you cookie donations or bring them with you for the Cookie Pack.

University of Cincinnati & Area College Students

What: Devotion at Peace Cafe / (and a Free Meal afterwards)

When: Friday, December 7th at 6pm.

Where: Peace Cafe, 2518 Clifton Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45219

513.429.5008 Please RSVP your intent to attend!